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1. FOLLOWING INFORMATION IS PROVIDED IN RESPONSE TO REFTEL.

(A) INTERNATIONAL COURT OF JUSTICE

JUDGES IN ORDER OF PRECEDENCE:

PRESIDENT EDUARDO JIMENEZ DE ARECHAGA (URUGUAY)

VICE-PRESIDENT NAGENDRA SINGH (INDIA)

JUDGES: ISAAC FORSTER (SENEGAL)

ANDRED GROS (FRANCE)

MANFRED LACHS (POLAND)

HARDY C. DILLARD (UNITED STATES)

LOUIS IGNACIO-PINTO (BENIN)

FEDERICO DE CASTRO (SAPIN)

PLATON D. MOROZOV (USSR)

 $SIR\ HUMPHREY\ WALDOCK\ (UNITED\ KINGDOM)$

JOSE MARIA RUDA (ARGENTINA)

HERMANN MOSLER (FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF GERMANY)

TASLIM OLAWALE ELIAS (NIGERIA)

SALAH EL DINE TARAZI (SYRIA)

SHIGERU ODA (JAPAN)

REGISTRAR: STANISLAUS AQUARONE (AUSTRALIA)

TERM EXPIRES 1980

DEPUTY REGISTRAR: WILLIMA TAIT (UK), TERM EXPIRES 1977

THE COURT HAS FOUR FIRST SECRETARIES (TWO FRENCH AND TWO BRITISH)

AND TWO SECRETARIES (ONE FRENCH AND ONE WITH DUAL FRENCH/UK

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NATIONALITY), AN INCREASE OF ONE SECRETARY OVER 1975. THERE ARE

23 OTHER EMPLOYEES ON THE STAFF OF THE COURT, INCLUDING ONE AMERICAN IN THE ARCHIVES SECTION.

THE REGISTRAR INFORMED US THAT THE ICJ CONSIDERS GEOGRAPHICAL DISTRIBUTION AS ONE OF THE CRITERIA FOR EMPLOYMENT, BUT DOES NOT MAINTAIN DESIRABLE GEOGRAPHICAL RANGE TABLES. OF MORE IMPORTANCE FOR EMPLOYMENT IN ONE OF THE PROFESSIONAL POSITIONS ARE LANGUAGE (FRECNH AND ENGLISH) CAPABILTIES AND INTERNATIAONAL LAW BACKGROUNDS. GEOGRAPHICAL DESTRIBUTION IS OBVIOUSLY FOLLOWED IN SELECTION F JUDGES BY THE SECURITY COUNCIL AND THE UNGA.

FROM JANUARY 1, 1976, SALARIES OF JUDGES ARE SET AT \$50,000, UP FROM \$45,000 PREVIOUSLY. THE PRESIDENT RECEIVES A "SPECIAL ALLOWANCE" OF \$12,200, UP FROM \$11,000, AND THE VICE PRESIDENT RECIEVES AN ALLOWANCE OF \$76 PER DAY FOR EACH DAY HE ACTS AS RESIDENT (ANNUAL MAXIMUM OF \$7600), UP FROM \$68 PER DAY PREVIOUSLY. THE REGISTRAR'S BASE SALARY IS \$33,225 (NET), EQUIVALENT TO AN ASSISTANT SECRETARY GENERAL OF THE UN. HE HETS A REPRESENTATION ALLOWANCE OF \$3,000. THE DEPUTY REGISTRARS BASE SALARY IS \$29,445 (NET), EQUIVALENT TO UN PAY GRADE D-2. (THE DEPUTY REGISTRA IS AT THE TOP OF HIS PAY GRADE.) HIS REPRESENTATION ALLOWANCE IS D600 PER YEAR. THE POST ADJUSTMENT (COST OF LIVING) ALLOWANCE FOR THE HAGUE IS CLASS 15 ON THE UN SCALE.

A LIST OF THE ICJ STAFF MAY BE FOUND ON PAGE 96 OF THE COURTS 1974-75 YEARBOOK WHICH IS AVAILABE IN THE DEPARTMENT. (B) PERMANENT COURT OF ARBITRATION (INTERNATIONAL BUREAU) SECRETARY GENRAL BARON E.O. VAN BOETSELAER (DUTCH) ADMINISTRATOR MISS G.C. VOGEL (DUTCH) SECRETARY MRS. Y.I. DIEHL (DUTCH)

THE SECRETARY GENERAL WAS LAST ELECTED TO HIS FIVE YEAR TERM OF OFFICE ON DECEMBER 1, 1973. THE INTERNATIONAL BUREAU OF THE PERMANENT COURT HAS A TOTAL STAFF OF SIX (UNCHANGED FROM LAST YER), ALL OF WHOM ARE DUTHC NATIONALS. THE ORGANIZTION DOES NOT FOLLOW GEOGRAPHIC DISTRIBUTION CONCEPTS IN HIRING EMPLOYEES.

FOLLOWING ARE 1976 ANNUAL SALARIES IN DOLLARS CONVERTED AT THE CURRENT EXHCANGE RATE OF 2.667 GUILDERS TO THE DOLLAR: UNCLASSIFIED

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SECRETARY GENERAL \$7,874.02 ADMINISTRATOR \$3,221.60 FIRST SECRETARY \$6,948.85 SECRETARY \$7,233.16

SALARIES ARE TAX FREE. THERE ARE NO ALLOWANCES(REPRESENTATION OR OTHER) FOR THE STAFF.

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